

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

RACHEL SMITH,	§	
	§	No. 597, 2008
Respondent Below-	§	
Appellant,	§	Court Below: Family Court
	§	of the State of Delaware in and
v.	§	for New Castle County
	§	
DEPARTMENT OF SERVICES	§	File No. 08-05-01TN
FOR CHILDREN YOUTH &	§	CPI No. 08-14469
THEIR FAMILIES,	§	
	§	
Petitioner Below-	§	
Appellee.	§	

Submitted: April 6, 2009

Decided: May 12, 2009

Before **STEELE**, Chief Justice, **BERGER** and **RIDGELY**, Justices.

ORDER

This 12th day of May 2009, upon consideration of the parties' contentions in the briefs, it appears to the Court that the judgment of the Family Court should be affirmed on the basis of and for the reasons set forth in its Order dated November 10, 2008. The Family Court did not abuse its discretion in terminating the parental rights of respondent, Rachel Smith.¹

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the judgment of the Family Court is **AFFIRMED**.

BY THE COURT:

/s/ Henry duPont Ridgely
Justice

¹ A pseudonym was assigned on appeal pursuant to SUPR. CT. R. 7(d).